

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: KCX-654A (19124A)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application ) Examiner: Paula L. Craig  
Michael T. Morman et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/730,493 ) Art Unit: 3761  
Filed: December 8, 2003 ) Deposit Account: 04-1403  
Confirmation No.: 2537 ) Customer No.: 22827

Title: Absorbent Article with Elastomeric Bordered Necked Material Bodyside Liner and Method of Making

**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

Fee requirements (if any) have been calculated as shown below:

	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims	_____	minus _____	= 0	X \$50 = \$_____ .00
Independent Claims	_____	minus _____	= 0	X \$200 = \$_____ .00

If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time, add \$290.00 (per application) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

Since Official Action set an original due date of 05/12/2007, **PETITION** is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month \$120; 2 months \$450; 3 months \$1,020; 4 months \$1590, 5 months \$2,160) \$ 1,020.00

If Terminal Disclaimer enclosed, add Rule 20(d) Official Fee (\$130.00)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_.00

**SUBTOTAL:** \$ 1,020.00

If "small entity" verified statement filed  previously,  
 herewith, enter one-half (½) of subtotal and subtract - \$ \_\_\_\_\_.00

**TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED:** \$ 1,020.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any fees in addition to the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting official document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account No. shown in the heading hereof. This statement does not authorize charge of the issue fee in this case.

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

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Sir:

In view of the Examiner's Final Office Action of February 12, 2007, May 12, 2007 falling on a Saturday, applicants hereby respond as follows: